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For: OPTICAL DISK RECORDING APPARATUS))

HAVING PUSH-PULL SIGNAL PROCESSING)

CIRCUIT, WOBBLE EXTRACTION CIRCUIT)

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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